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Personal.

INFORMATION is wanted as to the whereabouts of Mr. PATRICK KING, who when last heard from was in the employ of the C. P. R. at Port Moody in the capacity of Bridge Carpenter. Some 18 or 20 months ago a rumor reached his friends in New York State that he, with a number of other workmen, were quarantined for small pox at Port Moody. He was formerly a resident of Brockport, Monroe County, New York. Since that time, 18 or 20 months since, his friends have received no tidings from him. Any person knowing anything of his whereabouts will relieve a widowed mother's anxiety for an absent son by communicating such information to the TIMES office, Victoria, or to R. McDONALD, Tonawanda, New York State, U. S. july5

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Meetings to be Held.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, Broughton street, between Government and Broad streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
sep1 1y W. R. MASON, Secretary.

THE Y. W. C. T. U. OF VICTORIA MEETS every third Monday in each month at Temperance Hall, on Pandora st., at 7:30 p. m. A good programme and sociable time at every meeting. Strangers cordially invited. nov5-1

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1610 yds Dress Stuffs.
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50 Summer Mantles and Visites, very rich and new.
90 Washing Costumes, new styles.
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HENRY GEORGE ON HOME RULE.

Commenting on the subject of Home Rule, HENRY GEORGE at a social gathering in New York said: "We believe in Home Rule because we have seen the potent influence it is for allaying sectional irritation and enabling the feeling of a common nationality to supplant the bitter memories of strife. I think I speak the American feeling in saying that we desire Ireland's freedom not only for the sake of Ireland, but for the sake of England as well. Our own experience has taught us that on the day in which the patriotic Irishmen can feel that the union of the two countries is no longer a badge of conquest, but a matter of mutual consent, Ireland will cease to be a weakness to the British nation, and will become a strength. And there are at least some of us who feel an intense desire for the speedy triumph of the principle of Home Rule in the United Kingdom because we realize it will clear the way for such a union of the English and Irish democracy in the effort to gain reform which we, too, have yet to obtain. If we would have them profit by our experience, so, too, do we hope for stimulation from their advance.

"The great social problems which present themselves in both countries are the same, and whatever is done in one country towards their solution will tell powerfully on the other. It is this which gives propriety and significance to a meeting of American workingmen to express their sympathies in a political contest in another country, and it is which makes it fitting that such a meeting should be held on the day on which we celebrate not only the birth of a great nation in a league of independent States, but the declaration of the universal and alienable rights of man. Whatever may be done towards the abolition of political injustice, the burial of national hatreds, the realization of the fraternity of the masses, clears the way for the recognition of equal and unalienable rights with which all men have been endowed by their Creator, and will end war and eradicate poverty. The most potent of the means by which mankind has been enslaved and the many made hewers of wood and drawers of water for a few have been national prejudices and hatred. The spirit that recognizes the brotherhood of man is the spirit that alone can emancipate man."

While we cannot subscribe to the doctrines promulgated by Mr. GEORGE we cannot doubt the sincerity of his convictions and believe his sentiments to be those of an honest man, who has always taken a strong interest in the well being of the masses, especially those who are usually designated as the laboring classes. It will be observed that he speaks intelligently and without a shadow of bitterness in favor of the demands of the Irish people. In speaking of Mr. GLADSTONE's chances, he says that it has already been given to him to do more than any other man could have done to destroy prejudices and to promote justice in the relations of the two countries, and if it be not given to him to see the full fruition of his work, men hereafter look forward to see it in the union of all English speaking people, securing an absolute freedom of trade, providing for the general interest, settling all disputes, and ultimately abolishing armies, fleets and custom houses as things of a barbarous past.

PROMOTERS OF PUBLIC COMPANIES.

A decision by the Court of Appeal, in England, establishes the responsibility of the promoters of public companies. Mr. Jones Bird procured the formation of a mining company which purchased a certain property for £100,000. Mr. Bird, who did not occupy the position of trustee, fixed the amount of the purchase, out of which he bargained to get from the sellers, unknown to the purchasers, the sum of £10,800. The sellers had not offered the property for £90,000, but they would have taken that sum for it. Mr. Bird increased the purchase money by his suggestion, and for his own benefit, to the extent of £10,000; and the Court decides that under these circumstances he cannot retain the money. This decision may be useful to promoters and persons who deal with promoters of public companies, in this country.

"The broad result of this decision," according to the *Economist*, "appears to be that all those actively engaged in procuring the formation of a company are bound not only to disclose, but also to account for many payments made to them as agents out of the capital of the understanding; and further, that the employment of any portion of the company's capital in working the market for its shares is illegal.

VIGOROUS VANCOUVER.

Montreal *Star*: Mayor McLean, of Vancouver, writes as follows to Mr. T. J. Potter of this city: "Come along here. It will do you good. We are wiped out since the fire, but in the space of two weeks two hundred houses are already under way. Our people have energy enough for anything, they are a live people; they have a live mayor; they work together for the common good and to each one in particular. We have had a terrible clean out, but before the end of the year we will have 10,000 people here."

"THE UNHOLY COMPACT."

The article in the *Industrial News* of last Saturday, claiming that a "tacit understanding" had been arrived at between certain members of the opposition in the Assembly, and Messrs. BLACKETT, DUVAL and WILLIAMS, ostensibly representing the workingmen's interests, is so entirely misleading that Messrs. BEAVEN and GRANT have promptly repudiated the statement. Mr. BEAVEN addressed the following letter to the editor of the *Colonist*, which appears in this morning's issue, referring to the subject. He says:

"My attention has been directed to an article in the *Industrial News* stating that Messrs. Duval, Blackett and R. T. Williams met at my residence last spring; and to your remarks based upon that paragraph headed "an unholy compact," in which "you say that a conference was held at the house of the leader of the opposition to put up a job for the capture and division of the provincial revenue." I seldom notice the many mis-statements you make with regard to my actions; but as the above quotation contains a gross perversion of fact as regards my conduct, and as silence on my part might be misconstrued, I desire to say: That one evening last spring I was visited by the gentlemen above named. Mr. Williams was, of course, well known to me. Mr. Duval had called once before, but was comparatively a stranger. Mr. Blackett I had never met before to my knowledge. Mr. Williams, in apologizing for what he termed an intrusion, stated that he had been pressed to come by Messrs. Duval and Blackett. Those two gentlemen were the principal speakers and I trust I listened to them as attentively as I should. If they had not referred to this conversation I might not have felt at liberty to do so. They conversed upon many political topics and expressed the wish that the opposition should place two candidates in the field and the workingmen two to contest the city at the then approaching election. When asked my opinion I stated that I felt assured that the opposition as a party would place a full ticket of four candidates before the electors at the proper time; that the support of the party would be given to such men as were deemed capable and who were considered true opposition principles, that the electors had gained experience since the last general election and had expressed themselves to me as opposed to working for any candidate of doubtful proclivities—that I trusted there would be no division as regards candidates; that I expected to be in the field but was in the hands of my friends who would necessarily be consulted as to who should contest the city in the opposition interest; that I could not say what course might be deemed best in deciding upon candidates. They expressed themselves as favorable to my candidature for which I thanked them. There was no kind of an agreement entered into on my part.

ROBERT BEAVEN.

MR. GRANT'S DISCLAIMER.

To THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—I noticed in the *Colonist* of the 18th inst., an article headed, "the unholy compact" in which it is stated that "it was arranged that the opposition should nominate two and the workingmen two candidates for the city, and that the two forces should combine to overthrow the government in the city." The editor of the *Colonist* took his inspiration from the *News* of last Saturday, but as is usual with that gentleman he misstated even what appeared in that sheet. One would suppose that with his experience, he would have learned by this time to have quoted the language given. He seems, however, to have a horror of such "stubborn things" as facts. The *News* did not at any time claim that an agreement had been made, but stated that "a tacit understanding was arrived at on those terms." I would not have taken any notice of the comments published in the *News* had not my name been mentioned in connection with this matter. Further, the article is wound up by a bravo flourish, thus: "Gentlemen, do you dare to face the music?" I answer, aye! or any *one* who plays such discordant music. No one can say truthfully that I ever even tacitly agreed that two workingmen's candidates would be accepted by the opposition, and Mr. Duval knows this to be the fact. JOHN GRANT.

A QUESTION ASKED AND ANSWERED

To THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—A heated discussion has arisen here between a couple of "old timers," pioneers as it were. One, J. B., contends with A. C., that the editor of the *Colonist* was amongst the earliest advocates in the province for Confederation; his opponent, A. C., asserts that Mr. D. W. Higgins was an avowed opponent of the scheme. The matter has been referred to you for a solution of the problem. Your early answer then will be eargerly looked for at an early date.

W. M. C.

[NOTE—From all the information we can gather on the subject our decision is that Mr. Higgins was not amongst the early advocates for confederation.]

FREIGHT RATES

Quoted Winnipeg Shippers to Vancouver and Victoria.

Winnipeg *Sun*, 16th instant: The new C. P. R. freight rates from Winnipeg to Victoria or Vancouver are now in force and are as follows: First-class, comprising dry goods, clothing, etc., $1.89 per 100 pounds. Second-class, small lots, dried fruits, etc., $1.54 per 100 pounds. Third class, groceries, hardware and general goods, $1 19 per 100 pounds. Fourth class, butter, cheese and general produce, $1 02 per 100 pounds. Fifth class, heavy material and carload lots, $1 02 per 100 pounds. These rates include cartage in Winnipeg, and are the same as the rates from St. Paul via the American lines. They are also liable to change at any time owing to the war of rates between the transcontinental lines, and only apply to freight from Winnipeg to the Pacific coast, and not to east-coming freight.

MARINE.

The Sardonyx sailed for Mexico last evening. She will take Chinamen on board at San Francisco.

The Rosenfeld still lies solidly on the rock on the east coast. Another attempt to raise her will be made in a week or two.

OUR WORKINGMEN

Able and Eloquent Address by Captain Travellick in London, Ont.

The World's Moral Welfare—Wesley and Wilberforce—The Knights' Mission.

The annual gathering of the American and Canadian Knights of Labor, which was held in London, Ont., last week was a perfect success both as regards number in attendance and the unanimity of feeling and sentiment which prevailed. During the session many excellent addresses were delivered by the delegates. The following admirable address delivered by Captain Travellick on the evening of Friday the 9th instant, in the Queen's Park, which was listened to by many thousands is fraught with so much that is interesting that we give it in full, and ask our readers to give it a careful perusal.

CAPT. TRAVELLICK,

on coming forward was received with much applause. He said he liked to talk of the philosophy of the labor question. They might boast, they might hurrah, they might throw up their hats, but there was one thing sure—the condition of the workingmen would never be better till they knew more than they did to-day. In watching the procession, which he was told had numbered 4019, he thought that of all that vast number there was not one drunkard. He did not want to disparage the cause of Christian workers of temperance advocates in Canada and the United States, but he was free to say that the Knights of Labor had done more to make men sober than any other organization that ever existed in America. (Loud cheers.) When they met together it was to exchange views, and to elevate and improve themselves. He asked what it was that the labor organization purposed to do. All here were not Knights. Some came here not only to mingle with them, but to exchange views and to see the men who will soon take charge of affairs in both countries. So then the politicians would be dead, their days were numbered, and they will have to cross over with the Knights. He enquired what is it that the Knights of Labor are asking. In the first place people know society is not quiet. In France, Belgium, Prussia, right under Bismarck's nose; in Russia, the Czar was afraid to enter a bedroom without he was protected by a troop of Cossacks. Even in Canada there was sometimes trouble. In California they found it was disturbed. This must be due to one of two causes, either people believed they were wrong, or they were wrong. It was easier to remove the cause for an offence than to punish the offender after the offence was committed. If so, they had a reason for the discord that exists among the governments of the world. If they took the history of the world,

WESLEY, WILBERFORCE AND OTHERS

would tell them that the moral welfare of the world depends on the good, pure, moral training a mother gives the children, for on a mother depends more than any man could accomplish. If so, they must have good, pure women. What, he asked, has society done to make women so? What had her treatment been? They might boast of their great civilization, but still woman's condition of society was little better than that of a squaw. But some might say that he was very unkind to say it, and it was still more unkind because it was true. He said to take a boy and girl. The mother could then train them, and they would grow in beauty side by side, but their childhood would soon pass and they would come to years of maturity and could enter the arena of usefulness. Then they parted. The boy might go into the saloons, he might make himself pestilential, but society received him still. But if his poor sister stepped one foot out of the pure line there was no room in society for her, and it became the duty of teachers, legislators and all to try and elevate. But he was asked how they were going to change this. They were going to try. If they went to a country school house they might see an old man, a good Christian, get up and say: "I move that Miss Brown be engaged as school teacher for the ensuing year. I know that she turns out better scholars than Prof. Jones, and he wants $1,200 per year, and she can be engaged for $600." If they ask him was she not as good as Prof. Jones and why she should not be paid as much, he would turn round and say, "Oh, she is only a woman." True she was, but could she help it? Who asked her if she would be a woman? If so, she came to be so by accident—it wasn't her fault.

THE KNIGHTS OF LABOR

held to a firm principle in this, for they believed with woman rests the safety of all governments. Some asked, "Do you mean to place her on the same footing as man?" God help the world if woman's morals were not better than man's. He would not bring her down to man's level. God forbid! What did the Knights say?—and they were the first in the world who ever had the courage to demand it. They raised their hands to heaven and pledged themselves that wherever women were employed they would demand equal pay for equal work without regard to sex whatever. That was their argument. But some said, "Why don't she get married?" Did they want to cut off her chance of a livelihood? Did they want capital to benefit by her, and to bring them down to her level of wages? No. Then let them lift her up. He remembered he made a motion, and a vote of censure was passed on him because it was said she would come into competition with man. If one man was afraid to have woman come into competition, by all means let him commit suicide. Look out on society again, and they found that ignorance could not compete with intelligence. Intelligence would control physical force always. Intellectual power must be obtained by the working classes. He asked were they robbed, and replied yes—by law, but sarcastically remarked that of course they were voters. He asked what was the Government? and replied that it was what the people permitted it to be. If it had done wrong it was because the people had permitted it to. The Knights of Labor, he said, were pledged as brothers to defend each other's rights, reputation and families without regard to nationality or creed. The people wanted to educate themselves. It was said that they governed themselves, but they must study, because men who did not study were as liable to bind the shackles around themselves as to lift them. So the Knights of Labor had

LIFTED THEIR HANDS TO HEAVEN AND SWORN

that the moment they got power, when they got a ruling voice in the Government, that no child, whether born in the United States or Canada, whether white, black, whether born here or brought here by a parent or guardian, shall ever be permitted to enter a shop, factory, mill or mine until he has reached the age of 16 years and has a good school education. (Loud cheers.) Politicians said, "Oh, if our party was in we would do this." But there were two classes in all politics, the skinned and the skinner, and the man who worked was the skinned. The Knights presented their argument and the politicians would have to reply in writing. On their answer depended whether the Knights would be their political friends or foe. He alluded to the fact that the people don't like crime in their midst. They must protect society. When a man committed a crime society put him away, but no sooner did they do so than they sold his labor to cause him to make thieves of those outside who could otherwise make an honest living. (Cheers.) But some said they did not like one thing in Knighthood, and that was strikes. He asked was a strike wrong, or did it depend on the person who struck. If it was wrong in an individual to strike it must be wrong in organized corporations. In the State of Pennsylvania there are six counties that produce all the anthracite coal that is used. The owners of these mines resolve that a certain number of men shall be employed in this mine and in that mine. They resolve that next month only such a quantity of coal should be mined. They resolve that after the 12th of next October coal shall go up 50 cents per ton. Is that a strike? Oh, no! But if the miners in these mines move for ten cents not fifty, it is a strike. To the poor women who had to pay an extra 50 cents for her coal it was

ALLEE SAMEE AS A STRIKE.

If the men struck for ten cents a day the press called "strike" and the little governors were ready to turn out the militia. One was not called a strike on the part of the rich; the other was illegal, because society was accustomed to be robbed by capital. He illustrated the question of what a strike really is by a reference to the manner in which railway rates were increased on grain in the fall, and the monopoly caused by it. He asked how could this be changed, and said it was not by yelling or getting drunk, but by reading and thinking, by doing away with laws that were unjust, and replacing them with those that were good and right. He told of the greatest strike he had ever heard of, when 130,000 miners who had been paid for years in orders on the company's store, asked to receive one-half their pay in money. No sooner did they ask for this than capital got a law passed to affect them injuriously, and some of them were turned out in the middle of winter, with nothing to protect them but heaven. Molly Maguireism arose out of this, and so did murders. He didn't believe in murder, but thought if justice was meted out, that Government and his Legislature would be in prison for the balance of their lives. He went on to speak of boycotting, showing how he and Terence V. Powderly had been boycotted and persecuted because they belonged to the Knights. The government that would permit this was not a good government, but a fraud, a swindle and a lie. He next alluded to the charge that they were dictating to capital, which he denied, asking, What was capital? That which labor created. After an allusion to the dudes who do not work, he said labor had a right to put a price on its fingers. He said workingmen and women should learn to respect their character, reputation and morals, and that a poor girl should be just as much respected as a rich one. What America wanted was men and women educated, respectable, sober, moral and intelligent. He spoke of the dignity of labor, and urged them to march onward in the path of truth, ring out the old sorrow and ring in the glad days of "peace on earth, good will to all men."

MASONIC.

Annual Meeting of the Grand Lodge of Canada, A. F. & A. M., at Windsor.

The Grand Lodge of Canada, A. F. & A. M., met this year at Windsor, Ont. Grand Master Murray, in his annual address to the Masonic Grand Lodge stated that he had appointed as grand representative Bro. Rev. Samuel Pritchard Matheson, of Winnipeg, for the Grand Lodge of Manitoba, vice Bro. Kennedy, deceased. Regarding the suspension of Bro. John Harrison, of King Solomon Lodge, No. 22, for agnosticism, he regretted having to report that the brother had failed to convince him that his suspension ought to be removed and he be restored to good standing in his lodge. He regarded this case as the most important one ever considered by the Grand Lodge. Masonry is tolerant, but there is

NO PLACE IN MASONRY FOR A STUPID ATHEIST,

or the irreligious libertine. He, therefore deemed it his duty not to interfere with the action of the lodge.

With reference to the petition of Peqnonga Lodge of Rat Portage to be permitted to continue their allegiance to the Grand Lodge of Manitoba, he said this was clearly the duty of the brethren at Rat Portage to remove all possible cause of contention by affiliating with the Grand Lodge of their province, where they have assurance they will be heartily welcomed.

With regard to Cardinal Taschereau's mandament he characterized its reference to the aims and objects of Free Masonry as cruelly unjust, and regretted that the cardinal should have been so ill-informed respecting the Masonry as to prepare and publish such a document.

ROYAL ARCH GRAND OFFICERS.

The Grand Council of Royal Arch Masons assembled at Windsor on Thursday morning and elected the following officers: H. Raymour, St. Thomas, Grand Master; J. G. Firtiough, Kingston, Deputy Grand Master; Geo. B. Bennet, Parkdale, Grand P. C. W.; David McLellan, Hamilton, Grand Treasurer; J. Ross Robertson, Toronto, Grand Recorder; W. B. Doherty, St. Thomas, Grand Captain of Guards; W. R. Howse, Whitby, Grand Lecturer; Rev. Albert Althony, Caledonia, Grand Chaplain.

BEECHER IN LONDON.

Adverse criticisms of the lecture delivered by the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher on Monday evening, appear in several papers. The *Pall Mall Gazette* says: "Mr. Beecher did not have a first-class send-off. The hall was not filled and the great platform was empty. The applause was hearty but lacked fervency. This was partly due to the character of the audience and the high admission fee charged being a bar to the presence of the people."

THE DILKE-CRAWFORD CASE.

LONDON, July 20.—The evidence given to day produced a deep impression. Its directness, clearness and circumstantial minuteness, convinced all of its truth. Dilke's refusal to deny any liaison with Mrs. Crawford's mother is attributed to the open nature of the scandal rendering denial impossible. The conduct of Mrs. Crawford and her two sisters in court was marked by their unseemingly levity in laughing and talking together. The evidence was the most interesting yet given. Mrs. Crawford testified that she confessed she disliked her husband because he was too old; and that she loved Foster because he was handsome and pleasing; and that she committed adultery with Dilke for the purpose of obtaining a divorce from her husband. She spared Foster as far as possible because she knew he was about to marry. Under strict cross-examination she confessed that she had committed adultery only with Dilke and Foster, exculpating two other society men. The remarkable feature was that when Mrs. Crawford was asked the question, for instance, with regard to the French view of the vice of adultery, etc., she answered, with the utmost calmness: "Yes, yes," and even smiled, showing that she was naturally an abandoned woman, who rather gloried in her shame. Mrs. Crawford spoke in soft, pleasing tones, damaging Dilke without exculpating herself.

INCREASE OF CABLE BUSINESS.

LONDON, July 19.—The cable pool directorate have compared returns of traffic since rates were lowered, and have found an increase of 110 per cent. On consultation as to their future policy the directorate agreed that the increase proved that low rates had never been fairly tested, and decided to persist with present rates for a prolonged period. The period of five years was spoken of as necessary for development of a paying traffic.

SHOOTING CONTEST.

LONDON, July 19.—The shooting for the London corporation prize was confined to marksmen from the colonies. The highest scores, first range of 600 yards, were as follows: Barnhill of Canada, and Davis of India, 40 each. Armstrong of Canada, Cork of Australia, and Harwood of India, 39 each.

STAGE COACH ROBBED.

ST. PAUL, July 19.—*Pioneer Press* special: At noon Saturday six mounted and masked highwaymen robbed Her Majesty's mail coach twenty-five miles south of Humbolt station, obtaining $20,000 from the mail bags. The coach had left Qu'Allepe Friday. It is reported the driver was killed. The coach contained two passengers. It is supposed to be the work of Montana road agents. Mounted police are scouring the country.

AFTER MANNING'S PLACE.

SAN FRANCISCO, July, 19.—The *Chronicle's* Washington special says that a prominent San Francisco capitalist is a candidate for the office of United States secretary of the treasury, to succeed Manning. He is being urged by men who have held and are now holding high state and national offices. It is rumored here that the California candidate for secretary of the treasury is Lloyd Tevis, of this city.

COMING TO THE COAST.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Charles T. Davis has left Washington for San Francisco, whence he will visit other portions of California as well as Oregon, Washington Territory, Idaho and Nevada, on special business for the United States bureau of labor.

CARGOES OF TEAS.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 19.—The British bark Carrier Dove left Yokohama on the 18th for Portland, with teas, and the W. B. Flintsone on the 20th for Port Moody with teas for Canada.

ANARCHISTS SENTENCED.

MILWAUKEE, July 19.—The Anarchists Frank Hirth, Anton Palm and Carl Simon, were to-day sentenced to nine months each in the house of correction.

SUBMARINE ERUPTION.

On Saturday night several tugs coming up to Cape Flattery from the sea were struck by a tidal wave of quite a severe character. The sea ran so high that steamers were buried at times, and the commotion lasted some thirty minutes. After the waves had subsided it was found that the sea was covered with dead codfish, salmon and halibut. The cause is supposed to have been a submarine eruption.

WILL DO HIS BEST.

After the cabinet meeting on Tuesday Mr. Gladstone held a reception in the Council hall to a number of his friends, including Baron Wolverton, Lord Granville, Lord Rosebery, Baron Monsor and Arnold Morley. Mr. Gladstone referred in despondent terms to his failing powers stating that he would be unable to fight in the face of an embittered parliament. He would do his best, but he urged his followers to prepare to rely on other leaders.

MISS COLLIN'S READINGS.

The readings by this talented lady were fairly well attended considering the other attractions elsewhere. Miss Collin gave a number of recitations with admirable effect evidencing much careful culture of a natural talent. The audience were delighted and unstinted in their praise.

HAYING.

Farmers are now busily engaged in saving the hay crop, which promises to yield a ton and a half to a ton and three-quarters, on the average, per acre, in the vicinity of the city.

MUSICAL LESSONS.

Mrs. Miller will resume all lessons on Tuesday, the 27th inst.

—On Saturday evening says the *Post-Intelligencer*, the steamer Washington made the run from Tacoma to Seattle in one hour and fifty-six minutes. She did not carry, within ten pounds, the amount of steam allowed her by law. Captain Jackson says that under favorable circumstances and with full steam, she will make the time from wharf to wharf in one hour and fifty minutes, and possibly less, if necessary.

—Master Mechanic Reed of the C. P. R. is at present using the strength and hauling powers of the new Mogul locomotives recently brought into the service from the Baldwin works, Philadelphia. Four of these giants in wheels will be employed west of Kamloops; a similar number between Kamloops and Donald, and half a dozen between that point and Calgary. These are the most powerful locomotives yet built anywhere.

—Ice cream in quantities to suit, delivered in any part of the city by Young Bros., New England Bakery.

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Victoria, Wednesday, July 21, 1886.

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HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.

Now that the question of improving our harbor to such an extent that not only increased berth accommodation will be given, but also a greater average depth of water secured by the removal of rock obstructions, so that vessels of the class now plying between this port and San Francisco can enter the harbor with ease and perfect safety, has come up prominently for discussion, and the vast and vital importance to the trade and position of this city such an improvement as we have already indicated, if carried out, would be, it is to be hoped the subject will be kept constantly in view and agitated until decisive action has been taken in the matter. We have amongst us many who doubt the possibility of rendering the harbor fit for the marine commerce that would be certain to flow thither were the accommodation adequate to the demand. To illustrate what pluck, perseverence and energy can accomplish we herewith give some practical information touching the wonderful improvements that have been made on Scotland's great water highway, the Cylde, from the seaboard to her commercial metropolis, Glasgow, a stream and a city familiar to many of our readers. The largest vessels afloat may now steam up the Clyde into the heart of Glasgow with perfect freedom and safety. For some years they have been confined to a narrow channel just above Renfrew, but now they will have the whole width of the river with plenty of water at all tides. The last and greatest obstacle to the free navigation of the stream was removed about a fortnight ago by the blowing up of all that remained of the Elderslie Rock at a less depth than twenty feet beneath low water, and since then workmen have been busy lifting the blasted material. This is the end of a remarkable engineering achievement, accomplished by novel methods and under exceptional difficulties. The existence of the rock was not discovered till 1854, when a large steamer, the Glasgow, struck fast and had to be lightened of her cargo before she could be got off. Up to that time the obstruction had been thought to be a sandbank, and it was known as Blarthill Sand. Before the Glasgow corporation began the improvement of the Clyde there had been a shallow ford at this place. By means of dredging the channel was deepened, until 1835 there was a depth of over thirteen at high water. All the sand had been dredged away by 1854, and then it was proved that a wall of hard whinstone, about 300 feet broad, extended across the bed of the river. In 1860 blasting with gunpowder for its removal was begun, and after seven years work one-half of the width of the river was cleared so as to give a depth of fourteen feet at low water, the other half having only eight feet. It was resolved in 1880 that the whole of the rock should be removed to give a depth of twenty feet at low water and thirty feet six inches at high water. This is the work which has now been completed. Colonel BEAUMONT's diamond drills have been used for the boring, and dynamite has been the principal agent for the blasting. The operations have been carried on by means of ingenious machinery on a floating barge, diving being almost entirely dispensed with; and in this has been the novelty of the proceedings, which have been entirely successful, without loss of life or injury of limb. About one hundred thousand tons of rock have been removed, and the total cost has been nearly £70,000. The work is worth the money. The whole width of the river is available, and no vessel that has left the stocks has a draught too great for the depth of water. Great things have been done by the Clyde Trust, but nothing more useful than this removal of the last barrier to the increasing trade of the port. We have all reason to be proud of the Clyde says the Glasgow *Mail*,—excepting its needless impurities. The enterprise of Glasgow has made it what it is. That which is now a noble navigable river was a hundred years ago a winding, shallow, fordable stream. Its transformation has cost about £11,000,000, yet the weight of this enormous expenditure is scarcely felt, because the work has been done gradually, to meet the extension of trade and the growth in the size of vessels, and there has been an encouraging return for the investment. In 1780 the income of the Clyde Trust was £1,515; in 1880 it was £223,709; now it is about £300,000. The difference between the receipts of 1880 and the present annual income is more than sufficient to pay the whole cost of the removal of Elderslie Rock. "Progress" is still the watchword of the Clyde Trust; and when the new docks at Govan are completed we shall be able to say that the second city of the empire has a river and a harbor second to none.

CANADA'S HIGH COMMISSIONER.

When the appointment of a High Commissioner for Canada with an official residence in London was first discussed the scheme found many objectors in the ranks of both the great political parties of Canada. Many considered that the selection of Sir CHARLES TUPPER for the position was but for the purpose of getting rid of a gentleman some considered as a rival for the premiership to Sir JOHN MACDONALD, and by others as a gentleman who did not command the following in the country that he was supposed to lead. Recent events, however, demonstrate the benefit arising from the presence of a man like Sir CHARLES TUPPER in London now that the Colonial Exhibition is on view, has been made very manifest. He appears to have thrown the whole of his force into the occasion, and has been the heart and soul of the Canadian department. He has been able to imbue those from Canada with his spirit, and the result has been to set forth Canada in all its departments in a manner more vivid and striking than would have been otherwise possible. Though there are many curious things on exhibition from India and other of the semi-tropical possessions, yet for useful materials and ever-available products Canada takes the lead. To say that what she has to show in respect to agriculture and manufactures has taken the British public by surprise, is not to put the fact too strongly. So many reports prejudicial to the country have been set afoot by interested persons, and by those amongst ourselves who have not hesitated to malign the country they live in, that opinion as respects Canada had been reduced to a low ebb, indeed. The agents of the various countries that are seeking to attract the surplus population of Europe have not been slow to take advantage of the sayings and doings of not a few of the prominent men of a certain class, and have paraded them to our disadvantage. But a practical, a crushing answer to all this has come about. Not only have the immense public works of Canada, particularly the Pacific Railway, struck the public mind with astonishment, but the display of manufactured articles at the exhibition has thrown a new and wonderful light upon the capabilities of the country and the skill and energy of the people. Our correspondent, writing from London, tells us that one of the most frequent remarks made by visitors is, "We did not know that you made such things in Canada." Of course not. It has been so long misrepresented to the public mind in Great Britain that there need be small occasion for wonder if it is found that but little is known concerning us, and that little generally of a false and defective kind. But the magnificent display that has been made at the exhibition gives at flat contradiction to the misrepresentations under which Canada has so long lain. It tells the British public that they have attached to them in the bonds of common citizenship a country of boundless extent and unlimited resources. The winter climate, which is made to do duty as a bugaboo—(for has it not been said that the largest portion of it is "cursed with an Arctic winter!")—does not prevent the production of excellent manufactured goods while natural products are no where excelled or even rivalled. To the solid, sensible Anglo Saxon or Celtic races the products of Canada are pre eminently useful. Those of other climes may please the taste, delight the eye, and in some cases satisfy the palate, but as respects all those conditions upon which human life so largely depends it will be found that they prevail here more fully, more continuously than in any other portion of the world. It may be expected that the practical lesson which the Colonial Exhibition gives will not be lost upon the people in the British Isles. They will see with their own eyes what this country is really capable of, and attention once drawn in this direction, favorable impressions once created, will be sure to result in excellent things. The establishment of manufactures amongst us, which is giving lucrative employment to so many people, is a condition which should be guarded with every care. It was long and difficult to attain, owing to incorrect views in respect of the policy best suited to the present condition of the country, but now that it has been secured no pretences should be sufficient to cause it to be depressed or defeated.

THE Governor-General is shortly to visit that generally fertile and pleasing section of the Province of Quebec, known as the Eastern Townships. Mr. Sydney Fisher, who represents Brome County in Parliament, will entertain His Excellency and will be able to show how a gentleman of cultivated taste and broad education can content himself with agricultural pursuits. It is a promising sign for Mr. Fisher's future eminence in politics, for which his talents eminently fit him, that he is thus practically engaged in the most important and healthful work which falls to the people of a young and agricultural country.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

CABLE advices were received at Toronto, Saturday, that Her Majesty's Privy council had granted leave to appeal from the decision of the Supreme court in the cases of Beatty v. the Northwest Transportation Co., regarding interest in the steamer "United Empire," and in the Parkdale subway case.

THE pessimists who are dolefully predicting civil war in England and Ireland as a result of the elections should be temporarily banished on a holiday with a primer on constitutional government to study up. If they would promise to be quiet and sensible, they might be allowed to remain at hand and observe how enlightened nations settle difficulties.

IT is no daring prophecy that Mr. Gladstone, who has taken up the Home rule cause as his own, will wage ceaseless warfare in Parliament when the people's representatives are again assembled together. The changes of half a year are remarkable. From eighty-five the Home Rulers have increased to over two hundred, and many of their opponents are pledged simply against one particular measure, and not against self-government for kingdoms.

THE fall elections are coming on apace, and President Cleveland is, apparently, anxious that his new office-holders shall toe the mark of civil service reform. He has issued an executive order addresse to the chiefs of departments, which they are invited to read at the head of their respective brigades of clerks. In this order the President tries to state in general terms what should be the attitude of persons in the civil service towards party organization, and put in the fewest possible words, his ideas amount to this: That office-holders are entitled to the ordinary exercise of political privileges, but must not make themselves offensively officious. This order will be received much according to the bent of individual opinions. Friends of the civil service reform movement will prefer to believe that the President means what he says, while on the dulled mind of the average partisan officeholders the order will probably fall as a mild joke or a perfunctory formula not intended to have practical meaning. Those who believe that President Cleveland's civil service reform professions are sincere will thank him for this order, but will wish to remind him that it is a mere cautionary volly fired over the heads of the mob of spoilsmen. Words such as these need to be filled with meaning by acts which are in consonance with them. This order will be violated beyond a doubt, and the violations will continue until somebody is punished by removal. Will President Cleveland have the courage to do this? There is the rub.

Land Applications.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land situate on Campbell River, Bayward District, described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the south side of said river marked by a square tree; thence true south 60 chains; thence true west 60 chains; thence true north to Campbell River 60 chains; and thence along said river 60 chains to the point of commencement.

M. KING.

Victoria, B.C., July 10, 1886. july14 2m law

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase two hundred and sixty acres more or less situated in the Homalko river valley, Coast District British Columbia, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the right bank of the West slough of the Homalko river it being the northeast corner of R. A. Smith's claim from which running west forty chains, thence north sixty-eight chains, thence east to the right bank of the slough, thence south along the right bank of the slough to the place of beginning.

S. R. SYKES.

July 12th, 1886. jy12-law-2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase two hundred and forty acres more or less, situated in the Southgate river valley, Coast District British Columbia and described as follows;

Commencing at a stake on the left bank of the southgate river, from which running south forty chains; thence west sixty chains; thence north to the left bank of river; thence east along the left bank of said river to the place of beginning.

A. M. STOWE

July 12th 1886 jy-12 law-3mo

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase three hundred and twenty acres more or less, situated in the Homalko river valley, Coast District British Columbia and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the right bank of the west slough of the Homalko river from which running west forty chains; thence north eighty chains; thence east to the right bank of said slough; thence south along the right bank of the slough to the place of beginning.

R. A. SMITH

July 12th 1886. jy 12 law 2mo

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase three hundred and eighty acres more or less, situated in the Campbell River Valley, Sayward District, British Columbia, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake about ten chains west of the South Fork of Campbell River and about forty chains south of the main Campbell river, from which running west eighty chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east forty chains; thence north eighty chains to the place of beginning.

S. B. SYKES.

July 2 1886. july12 law 2m

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

LOT NO. 793, VICTORIA CITY.

WHEREAS the Certificate of Title of Thomas L. Hall, late of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, to the above mentioned Lot, bearing date the 21st day of August, 1882, has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such Certificate: Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

CHAT. J. LEIGHTON,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria,
20th June, 1886. June29 1m

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JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.

City Hall, Victoria, April 8, 1886. a8

Land Applications.

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District, at the outlet of Gordon Pasha Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake on the north shore; thence west forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains to the place of commencement.

R. F. DODD.

May 10, 1886. may18 1 2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase three hundred and twenty acres of land more or less situated in New Westminster District, on a Lake north of Gordon Pasha Lake; and described as follows: Commencing at a stake near the northwest corner of said lake; thence west forty chains; thence south eighty chains; thence east forty chains; thence north eighty chains to the place of commencement.

A. M. NANTON.

Dated May 7, 1886. May 18 12m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty acres of land, more or less, situated in the New Westminster District, on a creek emptying out of a lake south of Powell's Lake and described as follows: Commencing at a stake at the southwest corner of M. C. Ireland's location, on said lake, thence north eighty chains; thence west eighty chains; thence south eighty chains; thence east eighty chains so to the place of commencement.

A. M. NANTON.

Dated May 7, 1886. my18-2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of Section 56, Sooke District, thence due north 80 chains, thence due west 80 chains, thence due south 160 chains to N. E. corner of Section 53, thence in a northeasterly direction to point of commencement.

R. E. JACKSON.

Victoria, B. C., 13th May, 1886. my14 w 2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase three hundred and twenty acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District, on a lake south of Powell's Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake near the southwest corner of said lake, thence west forty chains; thence north eighty chains; thence east eighty chains; thence south eighty chains, to the place of commencement.

R. F. DODD.

Dated May 5, 1886. my18-2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District, on a lake south of Powell's Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake about half a mile west of a stake on the south west corner of said lake; thence north eighty chains; thence west forty chains; thence south eighty chains; thence east forty chains to the place of commencement.

J. R. WAGHORN.

Dated May 7, 1886. May 18 t 2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District, on a lake south of Powell's Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake near the southeast corner of said lake; thence south eighty chains; thence east eighty chains; thence north eighty chains; thence west eighty chains to the place of commencement.

M. C. IRELAND.

Dated May 7, 1886. may18 t 2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District, on a lake south of Powell's Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake near the northwest corner of said lake, thence west forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east to the lake; thence northerly along the shore of the lake to the place of commencement.

J. R. WAGHORN.

Dated May 6, 1886. may18 t 2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District, on a lake south of Powell's Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake near the northwest corner of said lake, thence west forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east to the lake; thence northerly along the shore of the lake to the place of commencement.

R. F. DODD.

Dated May 5, 1886. may18 t 2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase three hundred and twenty acres of land more or less situated in New Westminster District, on a lake north of Gordon Pasha Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake at the northeast corner of J. R Waghorn's location on said lake, thence west forty chains; thence north eighty chains; thence east forty chains; thence south eighty chains to the place of commencement.

R. F. DODD.

Dated May 9, 1886. may18 t 2m

TAKE notice that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase two hundred acres of land, more or less, situated in New Westminster District on a lake south of Powell's Lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a stake about half way up on west side of said lake; thence west 40 chains; thence north forty chains; thence east to the lake; thence southerly along the shore of the lake to the place of commencement.

R. F. DODD.

Dated May 5 1886. may18 t 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at northwest corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due west 80 chains, more or less, to Sooke river, thence southerly following Sooke river to the north boundary of Section 49, Sooke District; thence N. E. along said boundary line to the southeast corner of said section 49; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections 50, 48, 47, 46, Sooke District; thence easterly along the north boundaries of Sections 50, 51 and 52 to western boundary of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north to point of commencement.

MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON.

Victoria, B. C., 13th May, 1886. my14 w 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of Land, situate in the Kamloops division of Yale District, and described as follow: Commencing at the quarter section post between Sections 4 and 9, Township No. 91; thence south eighty chains; thence east 64 chains; thence north eighty chains; thence west eighty chains to the point of commencement.

A. A. GIRKEN.

May 23rd, 1886. jn3 w 2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land in the Kamloops division of Yale District, and described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of A. A. Girken's application; thence south eighty chains; thence east eighty chains; thence north eighty chains; thence west eighty chains to point of commencement.

STEPHEN TINGLEY.

May 31st, 1886. jn3 w 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north 40 chains, thence due west 160 chains, more or less, to Sooke river, thence southerly along Sooke river 40 chains, thence due east 160 chains to point of commencement.

M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE.

Victoria, B. C., 13th May, 1886. my14 w 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 10 acres of land situated on the northern end of Galiano Island, to the northeast of and adjoining the Indian Reserve.

EMMA PRIEST.

Victoria, May 24, 1886. my25 w 2 m

Notice.

DURING my absence in California Frank Campbell holds my power of attorney.

P. MURPHY,
Adelphi Saloon.

October 3rd, 1885 oct3

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CHAPTER IX.

The next day Mr. Troy (taking Robert Moody with him as a valuable witness) rang the bell at the mean and dirty lodging house in which Old Sharon received the clients who stood in need of his advice.

They were led up stairs to a back room on the second floor of the house. Entering the room they discovered, through a thick cloud of tobacco smoke, a small, fat, bald-headed, dirty old man in an arm chair, robed in a tattered flannel dressing gown, with a short pipe in his mouth, a pug dog on his lap and a French novel in his hands.

"Is it business?" asked Old Sharon, speaking in a hoarse, asthmatical voice, and fixing a pair of bright, shameless black eyes attentively on the two visitors.

"It is business," Mr. Troy answered, looking at the old rogue who had disgraced an honorable profession as he might have looked at a reptile which had just risen rampant at his feet. "What is your fee for a consultation?"

"You give me a guinea, and I'll give you half an hour." With this reply Old Sharon held out his unwashed hand across the rickety, ink-splashed table at which he was sitting.

Mr. Troy would not have touched him with the tips of his own fingers for £1,000. He laid the guinea on the table.

Old Sharon burst into a fierce laugh—a laugh strangely accompanied by a frowning contraction of his eyebrows, and a frightful exhibition of the whole inside of his mouth. "I'm not clean enough for you, eh?" he said, with an appearance of being very much amused. "There's a dirty old man described in this book that is a little like me." He held up his French novel. "Have you read it? A capital story—well put together. Ah, you haven't read it! You have got a pleasure to come. I say, do you mind tobacco smoke? I think faster while I smoke—that's all."

Mr. Troy's respectable hand waived a silent permission to smoke given under dignified protest.

"All right," said Old Sharon. "Now, get on."

He laid himself back in his chair and puffed out his smoke, with eyes lazily half closed, like the eyes of the pug dog on his lap. At that moment, indeed, there was a curious resemblance between the two. They both seemed to be preparing themselves, in the same idle way, for the same comfortable nap.

Mr. Troy stated the circumstances under which the five hundred pound note had disappeared in clear and consecutive narrative. When he had done Old Sharon suddenly opened his eyes. The pug dog suddenly opened his eyes. Old Sharon looked hard at Mr. Troy. The pug looked hard at Mr. Troy. Old Sharon spoke. The pug growled.

"I know who you are—you're a lawyer. Don't be alarmed; I never saw you before, and I don't know your name. What I do know is a lawyer's statement of facts when I hear it. Who's this?" Old Sharon looked inquisitively at Moody as he put the question.

Mr. Troy introduced Moody as a competent witness, thoroughly acquainted with the circumstances and ready and willing to answer any questions relating to them. Old Sharon waited a little, smoking hard and thinking hard. "Now, then!" he burst out, in his fiercely sudden way, "I'm going to get to the root of the matter."

He leaned forward with his elbows on the table, and began his examination of Moody. Heartily as Mr. Troy despised and disliked the old rogue, he listened with astonishment and admiration, literally extorted from him by the marvelous ability with which the questions were adapted to the end in view. In a quarter of an hour Old Sharon had extracted from the witness everything, literally everything down to the smallest detail, that Moody could tell him. Having now, in his own phrase, "got to the root of the matter," he relit his pipe with a grunt of satisfaction, and laid himself back again in his old arm chair.

"Well," said Mr. Troy, "have you formed your opinion?"

"Yes; I've formed my opinion."

"What is it?"

Instead of replying Old Sharon winked confidentially at Mr. Troy, and put a question on his side.

"I say! is a ten pound note much of an object to you?"

"It depends," answered Mr. Troy, "on what the money is wanted for."

"Look here," said old Sharon; "I can give you an opinion for your guinea; but, mind this, its an opinion founded on hearsay—and you know as a lawyer what that is worth. Venture your ten pounds—in plain English, pay me for my time and trouble in a baffling and difficult case—and I'll give you an opinion founded on my own experience."

"Explain yourself a little more clearly," said Troy. "What do you guarantee to tell us if we venture the ten pounds?"

"I guarantee to name the person, or the persons, on whom the suspicion really rests. And if you employ me after that, I guarantee (before you pay me a half penny more) to prove that I am right by laying my hand on the thief."

"Let us have the guinea opinion first," said Mr. Troy.

Old Sharon made another frightful exhibition of the whole inside of his mouth; his laugh was louder and fiercer than ever. "I like you," he said to Mr. Troy; "you are so devilish fond of your money. Lord! how rich you must be! Now listen. Here's the guinea opinion: Suspect, in this case, the very last person on whom suspicion could possibly fall."

"Here's the guinea opinion."

Moody, listening attentively, started and changed color at these last words. Mr. Troy looked thoroughly disappointed, and made no attempt to conceal it. "Is that all?" he asked.

"All!" retorted the cynical vagabond. "You're a pretty lawyer! What more can I say when I don't know for certain whether the witness who has given me my information has misled me or not? Have I spoken to the girl and formed my own opinion? No! Have I been introduced among the servants (as errand boy, or to clean the boots and shoes, or what not), and have I formed my own judgment of *them*? No! I take your opinions for granted, and I tell you how I should set to work myself if they were *my* opinions too; and that's a guinea's worth—a devilish good guinea's worth to a rich man like you!"

Old Sharon's logic produced a certain effect on Mr. Troy in spite of himself. It was smartly put from its point of view—there was no denying that.

"Even if I consented to your proposal," he said, "I should object to your annoying the young lady with impertinent questions, or to your being introduced as a spy into a respectable house."

Old Sharon doubled his dirty fists and drummed with them on the rickety table in a comical frenzy of impatience while Mr. Troy was speaking.

"What the devil do you know about my way of doing my business?" he burst out, when the lawyer had done. "One of us two is talking like a born idiot, and (mind this) it isn't me. Look here! Your young lady goes out for a walk, and she meets with a dirty, shabby old beggar—I look like a shabby old beggar already, don't I? Very good. This dirty old wretch whines and whimpers and tells a long story, and gets sixpence out of the girl and knows her by that time, inside and out, as well as if he had made her—and mark! hasn't asked her a single question, and, instead of annoying her, has made her happy in the performance of a charitable action. Stop a bit. I haven't done with you yet. Who blacks your boots and shoes? Look here!" He pushed his pug dog off his lap, dived under the table, appeared again with an old boot and a bottle of blacking, and set to work with tigerish activity. "I'm going out for a walk, you know, and I may as well make myself smart." With that announcement he began to sing over his work—a song of sentiment, popular in England in the early part of the present century—"'She's all my fancy painted her, she's lovely, she's divine; but her heart it is another's, and it never can be mine! Tooral-loo-ral-loo.' I like a love song. Brush away! brush away! till I see my own pretty face in the blacking. Hey! Here's a nice, harmless, jolly old man! sings and jokes over his work, and makes the kitchen quite cheerful. What's that you say? He's a stranger, and don't talk to him too freely. You ought to be ashamed of yourself to speak in that way of a poor old fellow with one foot in the grave. Mrs. Cook will give him a nice bit of dinner in the scullery, and John Footman will look out an old coat for him. And when he's heard everything he wants to hear, and doesn't come back again the next day to his work, what do they think of it in the servants' hall? Do they say, 'We've had a spy among us?' Yah! you know better than that by this time. The cheerful old man has been run over in the street, or is down with the fever, or has turned up his toes in the parish dead house—that's what they say in the servants' hall. Try me in your own kitchen, and see if your servants take me for a spy. Come, come, Mr. Lawyer! out with your ten pounds, and don't waste any more precious time about it!"

"I will consider, and let you know," said Mr. Troy.

Old Sharon laughed more ferociously than ever, and hobbled round the table in a great hurry to the place at which Moody was sitting. He laid one hand on the steward's shoulder, and pointed derisively with the other to Mr. Troy.

"I say, Mr. Silent-man! Bet you £5 I never hear of that lawyer again!"

Silently attentive all through the interview (except when he was answering questions), Moody only replied in the fewest possible words. "I don't bet," was all he said. He showed no resentment at Sharon's familiarity, and he appeared to find no amusement in Sharon's extraordinary talk. The old vagabond seemed actually to produce a serious impression on him. When Mr. Troy set the example of rising to go, he still kept his seat and looked at the lawyer as if he regretted leaving the atmosphere of tobacco smoke reeking in the dirty room.

"Have you anything to say before we go?" Mr. Troy asked.

Moody rose slowly and looked at Old Sharon. "Not just now, sir," he replied, looking away again, after a moment's reflection.

Old Sharon interpreted Moody's look and Moody's reply from his own peculiar point of view. He suddenly drew the steward away into a corner of the room.

"I say!" he began, in a whisper. "Upon your solemn word of honor, you know—are you as rich as the lawyer there?"

"Certainly not."

"Look here! It's half price to a poor man. If you feel like coming back, on your own account, five pounds will do from *you*. There! there! Think of it—think of it."

"Now, then!" said Mr. Troy, waiting for his companion, with the door open in his hand. He looked back at Sharon when Moody joined him. The old vagabond was settled again in his armchair, with his dog in his lap, his pipe in his mouth, and his French novel in his hand, exhibiting exactly the picture of frowzy comfort which he had presented when his visitors first entered the room.

"Good day," said Mr. Troy, with haughty condescension.

"Don't interrupt me," rejoined Old Sharon, absorbed in his novel. "You've had your guinea's worth. Lord! what a lovely book this is! Don't interrupt me."

"Impudent scoundrel!" said Mr. Troy, when he and Moody were in the street again. "What could my friend mean by recommending him? Fancy his expecting me to trust him with £10! I consider even the guinea completely thrown away."

"Begging your pardon, sir," said Moody, "I don't quite agree with you there."

"What! you don't mean to tell me you understand that oracular sentence of his—'Suspect the very last person on whom suspicion could possibly fall'? Rubbish!"

"I don't say I understand it, sir. I only say it has set me thinking."

"Thinking of what? Do your suspicions point to the thief?"

"If you will please to excuse me, Mr. Troy, I should like to wait a while before I answer that."

Mr. Troy stood suddenly still, and eyed his companion a little distrustfully.

"Are you going to turn detective policeman on your own account?" he asked.

"There's nothing I won't turn to, and try, to help Miss Isabel in this matter," Moody answered, firmly. "I have saved a few hundred pounds in Lady Lydiard's service, and I am ready to spend every farthing of it if I can only discover the thief."

Mr. Troy walked on again. "Miss Isabel seems to have a good friend in you," he said. He was (perhaps unconsciously) a little offended by the independent tone in which the steward spoke, after he had himself engaged to take the vindication of the girl's innocence into his own hands.

"Miss Isabel has a devoted servant and slave in me," Moody answered, with passionate enthusiasm.

"Very creditable; I haven't a word to say against it," Mr. Troy rejoined. "But don't forget that the young lady has other devoted friends beside you. I am her devoted friend, for instance. I have promised to serve her, and I mean to keep my word. You will excuse me for adding that my experience and discretion are quite as likely to be useful to her as your enthusiasm. I know the world well enough to be careful in trusting strangers. It will do you no harm, Mr. Moody, to follow my example."

Moody accepted his reproof with becoming patience and resignation. "If you have anything to propose, sir, that will be of service to Miss Isabel," he said, "I shall be happy if I can assist you in the humblest capacity."

"And if not?" Mr. Troy inquired, conscious of having nothing to propose as he asked the question.

"In that case, sir, I must take my own course, and blame nobody but myself if it leads me astray."

Mr. Troy said no more; he parted from Moody at the next turning.

Pursuing the subject privately in his own mind, he decided on taking the earliest opportunity of visiting Isabel at her aunt's house, and on warning her in her future intercourse with Moody, not to trust too much to the steward's discretion. "I haven't a doubt," thought the lawyer, "of what he means to do next. The infatuated fool is going back to Old Sharon!"

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ON THE APPLICATION of Mr. Russell, the Water Commissioner, and by and with the consent of Mr. McLean, acting on behalf of himself and others who obtained the Injunction in this cause, and on the undertaking of the Mayor by and on behalf of the Corporation, and Mr. Russell, the Water Commissioner, that a fair and ample supply of water shall be furnished to the residents and taxpayers on the upper levels of the city for and during the period hereinafter named and with a view to enable an available plan to be considered and matured for securing an ultimate permanent supply to the residents of the upper levels as well as those of the other parts of the city: It is hereby ordered that the period named in the Order of this Court dated the 27th day of May last, for the temporary suspension of the Injunction be hereby extended to and until the 10th day of August next, without prejudice to the rights of the Mayor and Corporation, the Water Commissioner, or the parties obtaining the Injunction, and with leave to all or either of the said parties to apply in case of noncompliance with the order.

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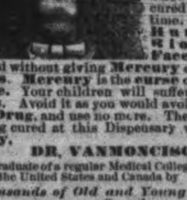

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While the TIMES is always prepared to give publicity to the views of correspondents on any question of interest to the public, provided facts are given, couched in unobjectionable language, we wish it to be understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the views expressed by the writers thereof.

Nor can we give room to duplicates of letters that have appeared in our contemporaries either in this city or elsewhere in the province. Correspondents, therefore, will save time and trouble in preparing such for THE TIMES, as they will be rejected.

Our space is valuable, and brevity, as far as possible, should be observed in writing on any topic, and on ONE SIDE of the sheet only.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—The puffing and snorting of Jumbo is heard already on Government street.

—Silence reigned at the Police Court this morning.

—Ice cream freezers at E. G. Prior's Government street. *

—Millinery, Feathers and Flowers at cost. Childrens mantles and jackets at cost at the CITY HOUSE. †

—The Kingston locomotive works have received a contract for building eight locomotive works for the Northern and Pacific Railway of Ontario.

—T. J. Jones, L.D.S., has removed his dental rooms over the new Bank of British Columbia, corner of Government and Fort streets. Telephone Call No. 507.*

—The Portland *Oregonian* points out to absconding treasurers the excellent facilities for rapid and quiet transit to British Columbia.

—Mrs. E. J. Miller will re-open her classes in painting and drawing, July 14th, in room over Shears & Page's dry goods store, Government street. ‖

—Pendray & Co.'s Toilet Soaps, Oatmeal, Coconnut, Oil, Glycerine, and Perfection Bouquet, are not to be surpassed anywhere. *

—The work of deepening the St. Lawrence channel at Montreal to 27½ feet is progressing so rapidly that it is expected to be completed early next year.

—Considerable merriment was caused in the theatre last night by the "dizzy gods" poking fun at a gentleman who appeared to be in a hilarious mood from the effects of tanglefoot.

—Mrs. V. A. LePrince, Fashionable Dressmaker; wedding and mourning dresses a specialty. Dress makers wanted. Government street, next to Bank of British Columbia. †

—Pendray & Co.'s Blue Mottled Soap deserves the high favor which it has gained, as it is composed of the purest material, and will not injure the finest fabrics in washing. *

—Mr. R. Dunsmuir has awarded the building of four locomotives, of great power, for the Island Railway to the famous locomotive works of Schenectady, N. Y. They will reach this city some time next month.

—F. C. Innes & Co., Real Estate Brokers, and Financial Agents, Vancouver, B. C., attend promptly to all enquiries about the terminal city; *Free Reading Room* for use of strangers arriving in Vancouver. *

—Where has all the surplus labor gone to? Railroad men on the Sound want 4000 men to work on the Cascade division of the N. P. R. and experience difficulty in getting that number, so they are just crying for men to work.

—Mr. F. W. Dale will remain in the city a number of weeks and will give instructions on the banjo and English concertina. Those interested should call at Mrs. Greenwood's, corner Pandora and Blanchard streets. ‖

—The ship John Boyce sailed to-day from Stetson & Post's wharf, Seattle, for Sydney, Australia, with 1,490,000 feet of lumber. The mill of the firm named was run fourteen hours each day to give the ship quick despatch.

—Cole's circus is to be on this coast sometime this year, just when is not known. It opened in St. Louis May 3d, with immense houses. It is pronounced a first class affair by the papers of that city, presenting many new and novel features.

Hall & Quackenbush, Vancouver, B. C., have the most complete list of business and suburban properties for sale at the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Price and terms to suit all parties. Inquiries by mail promptly answered. References. *

—Consequent upon the completion of the Canadian Pacific, Messrs. Castle & Son, of Montreal, have received an order for a stained window for the Cathedral at New Westminster, to be done in fine figure. The bishop writes that this is the first importation of stained glass to that province from Eastern Canada.

—Savory & Co., having a large stock of pure apple cider, made solely from Victoria fruit, are offering it by the cask cheap. Special rates to hotels and restaurants; a rare chance to those wishing to bottle. Orders can be left at Bossi & Giesselmann's, corner Yates and Broad streets. ‖

—Mr. H. C. Beeton, the agent in London, England, of British Columbia, on receipt of the news of the burning of Vancouver city, addressed (after cabling for the assent of the British Columbia Government) a circular letter to the London papers, saying that relief from English sources would be gladly accepted by the Vancouver sufferers addressed to his care. His promptness will probably benefit them materially.

—The Casino opera troupe departed today on the Sound steamer for pastures new. Their season here was an unsuccessful one, each performance being at a loss of $60 or $70. They could not compare to the Thompson troupe in any one point, excepting the orchestra. The "young bloods" were conspicuous on the wharf to-day by their absence; evidently no impressions were made whilst here.

—The Geo. E. Starr brought freight for: Albion Iron Works, A Lewis & Co, A Martin, A Bossi & Co, B C Stat Co, Bossi & G, C Strauss & Co, D McPhaden, E S Scouller & Co, Fell & Co, G H Bailey, G W Jones & Co, Govt Printing Office, H Saunders, H Mansell, John Weiler, J H Todd & Son, J Sehl, J Gosnell, J W Sexsmith, J Cunningham, Langley & Co, M Miller, Marvin & Tilton, R Jamieson, R Baker & Son, R C P Mill Co, S J Pitts, T L Kempster, T Swan, T Earle, Welch Rithet & Co.

—List of letters detained for postage: Miss Mary M Gobin, Crooks Station, Martin Co, Ogn; S M Petit, Vancouver, care B F Wells; M T Flamenaz, Candeleria, Esmeralda Co, Nevada; Mrs Charles Ross, 148 Yamhill, Portland, Ogn; Mrs Richards, Winnipeg, Man; Chong Sung & Co, New Westminster; James Means, Lafayette, Yamhill Co, Ogn; Mrs Musgrave, Cowichan; Miss Clara Baker, Ladner's Landing; W H Taylor, Minneapolis, Minn; J H Robotham, Cowichan; Miss Mary Mann, Olympia, W T; Mrs Foster, Clinton, B C; Mrs F Powys Rodgers, (3), Shannage Bay, Rockhampton, Q L, Aus; Mr James Kier, Somenos; Victor Halliday, Comox.

The coal heavers employed by the Canadian Pacific Railway at Fort William struck yesterday, and compelled the company to accede to their demands.

NEW ROOMS OF THE Y. M. C. A.

The Young Men's Christian Association of our city have leased 115 feet of the upper portion of Spencer's Block, fronting on Broad street, where they are fitting up a suite of rooms in first class style for the use of the young men of our city. The rooms consist of a reading room, 18 feet 6 inches by 20 feet; members' parlor, 20x20; secretary's office 17ft. 6 in. by 11 ft. 6 in.; bath rooms, 16x15; a gymnasium, first class in every respect, 59x30 with a height of 22 feet; boys' room, 20x15; class room, 20x15; reception hall. The rooms will be carpeted and made as comfortable and home-like as possible. The advantages offered by the association to members are reading room, writing material, use of parlor, educational classes, library, 500 volumes, boarding house register, employment bureau, use of baths and gymnasium, chess club, debating society, C. L. and S. circle, lecture course, practical talks, socials and reunions. The annual fee for membership is $5. The reading room, writing material, employment bureau and boarding house register, are free to all. The association is strictly non-sectarian; its aim is the welfare of all the young men of our city stipulating only that they be of good moral character. Our young men would do well to make it their home.

CHIMES OF NORMANDY.

A fair sized audience listened to this tuneful comic opera last night, and by the frequent bursts of applause were thoroughly delighted with its rendition by the Casino company. Miss Manfred was a charming Serpolette, vivacious as a kitten and sang her role with a vim, and when she marched down to the footlights in stunning hose to sing "just look at this," fairly brought the house down. Miss Marchi, as Germaine, was sympathic and sweet, and received her full share of appreciation. Mr. Valerga's Grenichaux was well represented and Mr. Pyke as the Marquis, fulfilled all expectations. The chorus was fair, but at times shrill, and as for volume of voice did not compare with our amateurs. As far as wagers are concerned the performance of last night wins, but our amateurs are not in the shade because they do not excel a professional troupe whose business is a study. The *chic* and *abandon* last night mingled with comicalities went far to make it a success; but this is not expected of amateurs where a certain degree of modesty must be observed. We will say, and with emphasis, that our amateurs can compete with amateurs of any city in the Dominion, which is going a long way, and it must indeed be a poor professional who cannot out—do an amateur.

BALLOT PAPERS.

The number of spoiled bollots in the Yale election is abnormal, and evinces a wide-spread ignorance of the law. A letter from Mr. W. K. Bull suggests a remedy, but a far better one would be to change the form of the ballot paper by discarding the downward line on the right hand side. The Yale returning officer threw out all ballots marked on the left side of this line, although otherwise properly marked. This was undoubtedly in accordance with the letter of the law, but nevertheless it was a clear violation of the original intention of the franchise act. It is a well accepted rule to count all ballots that clearly and unmistakably show the intention of the voter, when marked by a cross; and we hold that all ballots marked within the cross or dividing lines, whether to the right or left or over the names of candidates should be counted. This is the simplest and only correct method. The printed line from top to bottom is a delusion and a snare and should be omitted in all future ballots. Like the curl on a pig's tail, its practical utility is an "unknown quantity."

MONTREAL VISITORS.

Amongst the passengers from the east who arrived in this city yesterday evening per Princess Louise were Mr. Joseph Cross, an eminent Judge of the Appeal Court in Montreal, and Mr. Jas. Magor, the president of the Corn Exchange, and one of the largest and most influential merchants in that city. These gentlemen spoke in the highest terms of the C.P.R., the magnificent scenery they had passed through, the splendid capabilities of the country for cattle and horse raising, and the prospects of Vancouver as the future port on the North Pacific coast. The learned Judge was making most exhaustive enquiries into the various industries already started successfully, and we may express the hope that our distinguished visitors will carry back with them golden opinions of the beauties and advantage of British Columbia and the great prospects before it. Our guests are registered at the Driard House, but make but a hurried stay.

THE PREMIER'S MOVEMENTS.

Sir John Macdonald and party left Winnipeg by special train on Friday morning. General Superintendent Egan's private car was placed at the disposal of the party. Mr. Egan will accompany Sir John to this coast. No stoppage was made at Portage la Prairie coming west, it being Sir John's intention to remain there and take a trip over the northwestern on his return from this province. At Carbery he was presented with an address; the ladies with boquets of wild flowers and a sheaf of green wheat and timothy grass fully four and a half feet in length. At Brandon on his return a reception will be tendered him. At Indian Head and Qu'Appelle he was whirled through at the rate of 40 miles an hour without a halt. On arriving at Regina the party drove to government house, were they were to remain till yesterday, Tuesday.

OVER THE SUMMER SEA.

To-morrow evening, at 7:30, the Amelia will leave Turner, Beeton & Co.'s wharf for a pleasure trip down the straits. Those who wish to spend a cool evening on the water can do so at the cheap cost of 50 cents. The affair will be thoroughly respectable, being gotten up by a club men of young of this city, so no one need have any scruples.

THEY REMOVED.

Two soiled doves, recent arrivals in this city, a short time ago took up their abode in a most respectable neighborhood on Kane street. Their presence was objected to by respectable residents in the vicinity who made complaints to proper quarters and yesterday the twain were evicted and now all is harmony on Kane street once more.

HORTICULTURAL AND INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION.

Entries may be made in the following classes till August 3rd: Mineralogy, Botany, Printing, Lithography, Bookbinding, Hair work, Needle work, Shell work, Embroidery, Ceramic art, Plants, Flowers, Bouquets, Ferns, Fruits, Vegetables and Grain in straw. Entries for the canary division will close at noon on the 5th. Entries for the babies' show will close on the 5th. For further information see secretary or posters.

INSANE.

John Sleddin, an Englishman aged 35 years, and Wah Gin, a Chinese, both hopelessly insane, were taken to New Westminster asylum to-day. Both were arrested within the past few days.

—The lads of Victoria have suffered a literary loss in the death of E. C. Judson, better known as "Ned Buntline," the popular story writer, at the age of 64, in New York city yesterday.

MR. STUART CUMBERLAND.

A Cosmopolitan Englishman—The Object of His Visit.

We trust that now Mr. Cumberland is with us he will arrange to give a public representation previous to taking his departure eastwards; for there is undoubtedly a very strong desire amongst the public generally to see him give illustrations similar to those which have served to make him so justly famous. Mr. Cumberland has, we believe, traveled more than any man of his age and he has met every person of note in both the old and the new worlds, whilst he has been most cordially received as an honored guest at principal courts of both Europe and the east. For some years he has been devoting himself to politics, as it is his intention to embrace a political career; taking the first opportunity of securing a seat in the English House of Commons. For the purpose of making himself acquainted with colonial affairs, especially those bearing upon Imperial Federation, Mr. Cumberland has spent some months in Australia and New Zealand. Previous to this he visited Egypt and he was made the bearer of a message of congratulation from the Khedive to Lord Dufferin on his departure for India. While in India Mr. Cumberland was the guest of the leading native Princess, who vied one with the other in showing him attention. He certainly managed to secure an influence over them which may in the future be of very high importance. In Calcutta Mr. Cumberland gave a public seance for the benefit of the fund now being raised by the Viceroys and Lady Dufferin for supplying female medical aid to the women of India. This meeting was highly successful and a large sum was realized. Lady Dufferin wrote the following letter in connection therewith:

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, CALCUTTA.

DEAR MR. CUMBERLAND,—I am extremely obliged to you for your very handsome donation to my fund, and I shall immediately inscribe you upon my list of life members. We also enjoyed the evening in the Town Hall very much and were greatly interested in seeing the exhibition of your powers there. Thanking you again for the substantial aid you have given me, I remain, yours truly,

HARRIET DUFFERIN.

Mr. Cumberland's last public appearance in London was on the 1st July of last year when he gave an address upon Russia, giving his impressions—political and social—of that country. The meeting was for the benefit of the fund then being raised by H. R. H. the Princess Louise for the relief of sufferers from the rebellion in the Northwest. The Marquis of Lorne presided, and Sir Chas. Tupper seconded the vote of thanks proposed to the lecturer. It was on that occasion that the High Commissioner drew attention to the extraordinary likeness which exists between the Marquis and Mr. Cumberland, saying that although he knew them both very intimately he ever experienced some difficulty in deciding which was which. In acknowledgment of Mr. Cumberland's work the Marquis of Lorne wrote as follows:

"KENSINGTON PALACE.

"My Dear Mr. Cumberland: I am sure we can never enough thank you for undertaking so troublesome a job. I shall let your Canada friends hear of your kindness. Believe me yours, very truly,

LORNE."

It is just this deep interest which Mr. Cumberland has in Canada, and the Canadians that has induced him to make the present visit. His object in doing so is to write a full and graphic account of the new "Queen's highway—from Pacific to Atlantic," by way of the Canadian Pacific Railway, making the result of his enquiries as public as possible. With this purpose in view he has arranged with several of the leading papers in Australia, New Zealand, India and at home to accept a series of articles descriptive of the route. This will create simultaneously a public interest in all of these countries; whilst in addition Mr. Cumberland will make a report to each of the governments. Few men are prepared to do more for Canada than is Mr. Cumberland, and certainly no one has better opportunities than he has of making himself heard, and that effectively.

IMPORTANT DECISION.

Hon. Mr. Justice Gray Decides that the C. P. R. Co. Can Expropriate Lands for the Coal Harbor Branch.

In the Supreme Court to-day an important decision in favor of the C. P. R. Co. was rendered by the Hon. Mr. Justice Gray. Some time ago certain of the property holders along the proposed line from Port Moody to Coal Harbor obtained injunctions restraining the company from proceeding with the work of track-laying between the two points, and the company were unable to proceed with the work of construction. The grounds were that the company's charter did not give them power to build an extension. His Lordship to-day decided that the effect of the Dominion Legislature in regard to the C. P. R. was to declare Port Moody the Parliamentary terminus, and consequently that the line from Port Moody to Coal Harbor was a branch of and not an extension of the main line, and being such the company had the right to build a branch line and expropriate the necessary land for the purpose, without the consent of the property owners, upon giving the statutory compensation. It is understood that the decision to-day was only as to the legal right of the company to take the land, that being the interpretation put upon the statutes by his Lordship. The injunctions were not interfered with, and a further hearing in the matter was directed to ascertain if the company had complied with the formal procedure necessary in such cases to entitle them to take the land. Messrs. A. J. McColl and W. J. Taylor appeared for the applicants.

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

On account of my new place of business not being yet ready for occupancy, I shall continue my clearance sale of Groceries at the old stand, corner of Douglas and Cormorant streets, for one week longer. Will sell good Tea, Green, Black or Mixed, for 25 cents per pound; best Roll Butter, 75 cents; best light brown Sugar, 12 lbs. for $1; 11 lbs. of the best Granulated Sugar for $1, and all other goods in proportion. Give us a call.

N. PORTMAN.

SERENADE.

The Queen City band, with their usual kindly fellow feeling, turned out in force last night and serenaded Dr. J. D. Helmcken at his residence, James Bay. The doctor reciprocated in royal style. The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Cusick was next visited and the stillness of the night enlivened by melodious strains.

MAIL COMPLAINTS.

There is some little annoyance caused to parties in this city who have correspondence with Australia about no Australian mail arriving by the Mexico, although the Australian mail arrived in San Francisco several days before the Mexico left for this port. The irregularity should be looked into by Mr. Wallace.

A BOYCOTT REPORTED.

From private parties we are led to believe that a certain butcher in the town of Nanaimo has been boycotted for political reasons. The affair is to be regretted and it is to be hoped the report is only a canard after all.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

Result of the Public School Teachers' Examination, July, 1886.

The following is the result of the examination of candidates for certificates of qualification to teach in the public schools of the province.

FIRST CLASS—GRADE A.—RENEWALS.

Stainburn, George, B. A. Cantab; Newbury, John C; Taylor, Mrs E A; Johnston, J P; Howay, Alice; Muir, John N, B A; Stramberg, Hector M, B A; Wilson, David, B A; Campbell, Henry J, B A; Walker, Frederick W; Reid, Robie L; Paul, Edward B, M A, University of Aberdeen, Scotland; Hunter, Walker, BA, McGill University, Montreal; Busk, Charles W, M A Cantab; Anderson John, B A University of New Zealand; Rossiter, Henry J, B A, University of Toronto.

FIRST CLASS—GRADE B.—RENEWALS

Kaye, James; Halliday, James A.; Offerhaus, R; Lewis, S G; Reid, Mrs L M; Murray, Paul; Forrest, Christina; Bannerman, W S; Gillies, D W; Babbitt, Daniel; Anderson, Robert A; Slaggett, George H; Bell, Emelene; Phelps, Wm H; Jones, David; Thain, Joseph H; Shaw, Alexander; Wright, Frederick G; Wood, E Stuart; Fraser, Roderick L; McLennan, John C; Gardner, Abbie F; Gilchrist, Alexander; Wood, William M; McLeod, John A; Kinney, William T; Palmer, Joseph W; Bryant, Maria.

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Coatham, William C	1947
Kerr, Daniel E	1937
Purdy, Raffles A R	1639
Bannerman, Alexander	1608
Armstrong, Frances E	1555
Plaxton, Robert J	1551
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Dougan, James, Jr	884
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Jennings, Margaret	846
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Bannerman, John J	797
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Reece, Bertha	330
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Certificates have been granted as above, recommended by the Board of Examiners.

JOHN ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's office,
July 20th, 1886.

FIRE ALARM.

The fire alarm this (Wednesday) morning at 3 o'clock was given by Officer Hooson. The firemen turned out promptly, and found a corner of the inside of the C. P. R. saloon on Johnson street on fire. The flames communicated with Muirhead & Carter's grocery adjoining, blackening the ceiling and charring the partition, but were quickly suppressed. The loss will be three or four hundred dollars. A burning barrel of whisky burst, adding to the difficulty which the firemen had to contend against. The fire is supposed to have originated among a lot of straw bottle covers, but by what means is unknown. The alacrity with which the firemen responded saved much valuable property.

MRS. YOUMANS.

This talented lady will deliver her lecture on "Hamans License" in the Theatre Comique this (Wednesday) evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Youmans is a sincere and devoted friend and advocate of the cause of temperance. For the last ten years her name has been very prominently associated with the movement in Ontario and the eastern provinces, where she has been incessant in her work both in and out of season. Mrs. Youmans is one of the few women lecturers who have retained the good will and well wishes of all classes of the community. She handles her subject in a masterly manner and those who have not yet heard her should not fail to be present this evening. She is a native of Prince Edward county, Ont., near Belleville and well known to many Ontarioans in this city and province. Don't miss a rare treat this evening.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. C. B. Bagster, of Prince Edward Island, arrived from the east last night.

Mr. C. A. Holland, England, is at the Oriental.

Mr. A. H. Lowrie and wife, Elgin, Illinois, are registered at the Oriental.

Mr. T. C. Sorby, architect, returned from Vancouver last night.

Mr. John R. Dunlop, of Almonte, Ont., is in the city.

Mr. James Angus starts for Winnipeg to-night. He will be absent about a week. Mr. Wm. Angus will accompany him as far as Kamloops.

Hon. W. Smithe, R. Dunsmuir, M.P.P., A. R. Johnson, Deputy Sheriff Langley and Prof. Sorge, were passengers for the east coast this morning by the Amelia.

Passengers by the Yosemite this morning for New Westminster: M Lenz, G Daser, R Kerr, Miss McBride, R Law, Rev Mr Bryant, C Mortimer and J C Hughes.

Passengers by the Geo. E. Starr: Mrs. Aubury, E Aliford, M Tabbs, T Egan, Rowan, Irving, T B Dunn and family, W B Palmer, M J Cummings, A C Orierly, E E Minor, Kelly, A Nichols and wife, H P McLaughlin and wife, W E George, Jeffry, C S Warren and wife, Mrs Levy, Miss Seidenbach, H Hughes, Miss Moore Mrs OBrien, Mrs J Smith.

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On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Youmans will address a children's meeting of which further notice will be given. jy 16-1w

Treasurer Wanted.

APPLICATIONS will be received up to Monday, July 27th, 1886, for Treasurer for the City of Vancouver. Salary Seventy-five dollars a month. The successful applicant will be required to furnish bonds from a Guarantee Company to the amount of Fifteen thousand dollars.

THOS F. McGUIGAN,
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Vancouver, July 15, 1886. july16 1w

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THOS. C. SORBY, Architect,
Victoria and Vancouver.

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